

December 28, 1984

Mr. Arnold Henson
Senior Vice President & General Counsel
American Brands, Inc.
245 Park Avenue
New York, New York 10167

Dear Mr. Henson:

Mr. Storr has asked me to acknowledge with thanks receipt of check to The Council in the amount of \$241,332, representing the sixth, seventh and eighth installments of 1984 dues from American Brands, Inc.

Cordially,

R. F. Gertenbach

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